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PROCUREMENT CIRCULAR NO. 2021-02

TO: Office of the Governor, Chief Operating Officer

Office of the Lieutenant Governor, Chief of Staff

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Hawaii State Public Library System, State Librarian

Chief Procurement Officers (CPOs):

Department of Education, Superintendent

University of Hawaii, President

Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Chairperson of the Board

Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, President and Chief Executive Officer

Judiciary, Administrative Director of the Courts

Senate, President

House of Representatives, Speaker

Counties of Hawaii, Kauai, Maui, and City & County of Honolulu

Executive Branch, Finance Director

Legislative Branch, Chairperson of the County Council

Board/Departments of Water Supply, Manager/Chief Engineer Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation, Executive Director

CC: Administrative Services Offices

FROM: Sarah Allen

SUBJECT: Notice of Suspension Pursuant to HRS Chapter 103D

Hawaii Public Procurement Code

Procurement Circular 2020-10, dated 5/8/2020, is replaced with this updated notice.

In accordance with HRS §103D-702, Authority to debar or suspend, and HAR §3-126-12, Suspension, the following suspension has been extended by the Chief Procurement Officer (CPO) of the City & County of Honolulu pending completion of a formal investigation:

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION – HRS Chapter 103D		
Name of Person or Firm	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Watts Constructors LLC	11/3/2017	11/3/2020

This suspension is in accordance with HRS §103D-702(b)(4) for deliberate failure without good cause to satisfactorily perform in accordance with terms of the contract. Therefore, bids or proposals will not be solicited and will not be considered for award from the person or firm during the suspension period pursuant to HRS chapter 103D. However, this suspension does not preclude eligibility for listing as a subcontractor on bid awards.

Pursuant to §103D-702(g), CPO shall make written determination on any contract awarded prior to the effective date of the suspension; consequently, contracts awarded to Watts Constructors LLC may remain in effect under applicable contract terms and conditions during the suspension period.

For Executive Departments, excluding DOE, UH, OHA and HHSC, existing contracts for Watts Constructors LLC shall remain in effect under applicable contract terms and conditions during the suspension period.

Your staff may contact Owen Kano at 587-4707, or e-mail owen.t.kano@hawaii.gov for any questions concerning HRS chapter 103D suspensions, or you may contact me at 587-4700.